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Carrie,

I'll let Megan respond to this question. My understanding is that the wildlife aspects of the restoration project sites may not yet be included in the GIS layers. Megan can clarify.

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Carrie Claytor wrote:

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> Hi Eric - Yes. The dark green AREAS indicating potential amphibian
> habitat correspond to the layer I have. There is something just like
> this for shorebird habitat as defined by the trustees. The same type
> of info is also available from the LWG (slightly different). As we
> discussed last week, I used any and all data available to describe
> habitat on an AOPC by AOPC basis. What I think we're trying to chase
> down is something more general that describes the physical features of
> the habitat, rather than whether or not it was suitable for a specific
> receptor (i.e. amphibians & shorebirds). I think the restoration maps
> indicated areas such as these and hopefully that is what Rob is trying
> to get us. Right Rob?

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> Carrie

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> Carrie, is this the trustee layer you were talking about? We
> developed this layer to support the development of our original
> surface water sampling program. I think the LWG's map (which depicts
> shorebird habitat and "other wildlife habitat" assumes that shallow
> open water habitat is wildlife habitat.

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> Eric

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